Gp/2768 2161

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO: E0295/7108 RAS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Wang, et al.

Serial No:

09/533,025

Filed:

03/22/00

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDE

AN ELECTRONIC COMMERCE SITE

Examiner:

Not yet assigned

Art Unit:

2768

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document is being placed in the United States mail with first-class postage attached, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the 1st day of March, 2001.

Kelly L. Crawfor

RECEIVED

ESOURCES FOR

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

MAR 0 8 2001

Technology Center 2100

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- ☑ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 and cited references
- ☑ Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check is not enclosed. If a fee is required, it may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Wang, et al., Applicants

Robert A. Skrivanek, Jr., Reg. No. 41,316

Wolf, Greenfield & Sacks, P.C.

600 Atlantic Avenue Boston, MA 02210

Telephone (617) 720-3500

Docket No. E0295/7108RAS

Date: March 1, 2001

xnddx

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO: E0295/7108 RAS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Wang, et al.

Serial No: Filed:

09/533,025 03/22/00

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING HOST RESOURCES FOR

AN ELECTRONIC COMMERCE SITE

Examiner:

Not yet assigned

Art Unit:

2768

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document is being placed in the United States mail with first-class postage attached, addressed to Carnonissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the 1st day of March 2001

March, 2001.

MAR 0 5 2301 %

Kelly L. Crawford

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

STATEMENT FILED PURSUANT TO THE DUTY OF DISCLOSURE UNDER 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97 AND 1.98

RECEIVED

MAR 0 8 2001

Technology Center 2100

Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicants request consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

PART I: Compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement has been filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified case. No fee or certification is required.

PART II: - Information Cited

The Applicants hereby make of record in the above-identified application the information listed on the attached form PTO-1449 (modified). The order of presentation of the references should not be construed as an indication of the importance of the references.

The Examiner is hereby notified of co-pending and commonly assigned U.S. patent application serial nos. 09/533,409 and 09/533,395, both filed March 22, 2000 that disclose subject matter related to the subject matter disclosed in the present application. A copy of each application is also enclosed.

Serial No.: 09/533,025 - 2 - Art Unit: 2768

PART III: Remarks

A copy of each of the above-identified information is enclosed unless otherwise indicated on the attached form PTO-1449 (modified). It is respectfully requested that:

- 1. The Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims;
- 2. The enclosed form PTO-1449 be signed by the Examiner to evidence that the cited information has been fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application;
- 3. The citations for the information be printed on any patent which issues from this application.

By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicants make no representation that a search has been performed, of the extent of any search performed, or that more relevant information does not exist.

By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicants make no representation that the information cited in the Statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(b).

By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicants make no representation that the information cited in the Statement is, or is considered to be, in fact, prior art as defined by 35 U.S.C. §102.

Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicants, the Examiner is urged to form his own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted, Wang, et al., Applicants

By:

Robert A. Skrivanek, 97, Reg. No. 41,316

Wolf, Greenfield & Sacks, P.C.

600 Atlantic Avenue Boston, MA 02210

Telephone (617) 720-3500

Docket No. E0295/7108 RAS

Date: March 1, 2001

xnddx